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FORCES

Batavia, July 22. Dutch amphibious forces today invaded Progolingeo, one of the biggest ports in eastern Java, the Indonesian, controlled Jogjakarta radio said tonight. Fighting was going on in the town.

This is the third sea-borne landing in eastern Java since hostilities began two days ago. Dutch marines who landed there yesterday under cover of warship fire, today reached Kalibaro, 20 miles inland on the mountain pass to the Dutch-held port of Sourabaya, the radio said.

Staggered Working Hours

Compulsion Warning

London, July 28. The Minister of Labour, Mr George Isaacs announced Tuesday that government compulsion will be applied if necessary to force the introduction of staggered working hours winter.

at stake," Isanes told the House of Java near Pradjogan, it added. Commons, adding that almost daily electricity cuts would eripple in- leader of the Pasundan West. Java dustry unless one-third of the daily separatist movement, announced topeak load is consumed nutside day that Sudanese troops, co-operatnormal day shift hours,

-thus far unanswered by the great dung and Cheribon, he did no describe further, would communique said. be taken against managements or he hoped such action would be re-

quired "only very exceptionally". MINISTER'S POWERS

staggered hours followed last winter's fuel crisis which forced, a complete shuldown of factories in many areas and set the nation's export drive back by several months.

The British Press Association sold fines up to £500 or one year's imprisonment or both might be imposed for failure to adopt staggered hours under the newly-announced compul-

sory system. Isanes said, however, that before any penalties are inflicted, he has the power under wartime defence regulations still in force to direct offendtricity demand to required levels.

decide how the 33.1/3 per cent shift Australia on Indonesia's behalf. other methods.—Associated Press.

They are believed by a Dutch ob- | sary bloodshed and devastation in server in Batavia to be part, of a Indonesia."

perinsula of the island. were warned not to use 4t.

announced.

Indonesian forces launched counter-attack on the western sector of the Semarang front in central Java, where they made some progress, the Jogjakarta radio reported Orakan, a small town south troops. At Padakan, near Malang.

A Republic army communique re-. In west Java, Suria Kartelagaua,

ing with Dutch forces, had occupied Mr Isanes repeated earlier appeals | Makelengka, midway between Ban-

unions failing to co-operate but said safeguard law and order in the large Netherlands Indies Army, cease towns were everywhere carried out fire. without resistance, the communique! This was followed by a statement

Poewakarta, on the main railway and release all prisoners. line between Batavia and Jogjakarta | .The United States State Depart-Dutch, troops,

Dr. Sjarlfuddin, Indonesian Prime Minister, appealed to the world-... in prevent bloodshed in Indonesia, in a broadcast from Joglakarta to-

Dr Sutan Sjahrir, Indonesian ex premier, and leader in the months ing industries to reduce their elec- of negotiations with the Dutch; slipped the Dutch air blockade of Java Regional boards on which both in an Indian plane today and reachmanagement and labour are re- ed Singapore on his way to appual presented, the Minister added, will to India, Britain, America und from the peak period is to be Dr Sjahrir, who resigned several a schleved in their areas-by stag- weeks ago after criticism of his day shifts, night work or concessions to the Dutch, appealed Ito the world to stop the "unneces-

force to seize the entire rich eastern | His mission, he told a press conference, was to meet as many im-A Republican spokesman in portant and responsible persons as Joginkarta said that the eastern Java possible to gauge world reaction to airfield at Malang had been evacuat- the Dutch attack and then advise ed. Australian and other aircraft the Indonesian Government on its

best course of action. 'All objectives during the first 24 Dr Sjahrir was plloted by Mr B. hours' operations against the Indo- Patnulk, former head of the Indian nesians were reached and at many Transport Command and a personal points Dutch troops have advanced friend, of Pandit Nehru, Foreign much further, a Dutch communique Minister in India's provisional government.

(A senior official of the Indian Ministry of External Affairs said today that there had been "no suggestion of Indian mediation in the Indonesian dispute," a Reuter message from New Delhi reported. The con-Samarang was attacked by Dutch sensus of opinion was that India would be unacceptable as a "third a Dutch plane was shot down, the party" to the Dutch in view of recent expressions of sympathy with the Indonesian cause by Indian leaders, he said. The presence in New Delh of Lord Killearn, British Special Commissioner in Southeast Asia, who helped to bring about the Dutch-Indonesian agreement and the impending arrival of Dr Sjahrir, gave attempts at settlement of the Java situation will be made in Delhi. (Lord Killearn again today in-

dicated that his visit, which was for only a few days, was private.) MYSTERY BROADCAST

A mystery broadcast, telling Dutch troops to cease fire on the orders of majority, of industries and trade Dutch losses in the fighting in Dr van Mook, Licutenant Governorunions-for the voluntary introduc- Java have been limited some being General of the Netherlands' East tion of night work, little practised in caused by land-mines and booby Indies, caused confusion in Macas-British factories during peacetime. traps laid long or near the Dutch- sar, east Indonesia, today, the He said "stringent" action, which Indonesian demarcation line, a Dutch Netherlands News Agency reported. A. volco-announced: "Attention, all in Sumaira, measures taken to officers, NCOs and men of the Royal

about United States intervention. An unconfirmed report reaching which, the announcer said, had given-The government's first appeal for Batavia said that Krawang and rise to the order to cease hostilities

-main Republican line of defence ment statement that the only deadin west Java-had been captured by lock preventing a peaceful solution of the Duich-Indonesian dispute was the question of a joint police force for Indonesia was denied by an particularly to "friends in Australia" Banta talive Dutch source at the

He said that in the last stage of negotiations, the Indonesian Reits good faith by ordering the cessation of hostilities and the building of fortifications, the lifting of the food blockade, and the cessation of negotiations of foreign representa-

The Republic did not comply with one of these conditions, he added, so there could not be any question of the Republic remaining in default merely in the matter of the joint gendarmerle.

The Truman doctribe was blamed by the Moscow radio today for the throughout the Arab world." resumption of hostilities in Java. A broadcast from the Soviet Union

heard in London said that Dutch action in resuming hostilities against the Indonesians was the "first result of extending the Truman doctrine to Indonesia."

The note from the United States Government that the American Consul-General handed to the Indonesians during the recent negotiations was termed by the Moscow radio as "open interference in Indonesia's affairs" and , "direct, support

"MIGHT BE USEFUL

A Foreign Office spokesman said in London "today that Britain was taking no further steps for the Dutch Government.

Officials in London could not confirm that Dr Sutan Sjahrir, former Indonesian premier, was now on his way to visit Britain. The view was expressed that he might prove useful when the time came for media-

At Lake Success today, the Dutch Government told the United Nations in a memorandum explainling the present military action in Il publican : Government, was "unprepared or unable" to fulfil the for a United States of Indonesia. From discussions which have migration.

WEDENE YER'S Nanking, July 22.

Lt. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer is planning to launch immediately into the task of finding means to a solution of major problems in China and Rorea. He said in a statement that he was personally charged by President Truman "to appraise the situation of the present reality in China and Korea and report on the possibilities

with regard to rehabilitation in the foresceable future." Gen. Wedemeyer said that because he is approaching the problem with an open mind, "I cannot now-or I suspect, in the near future-offer any statement of expectation of intention save onethat of carrying out to the best of my ability President Truman's directive to me to ascertain all facts pertinent to the political, economic and military situation-favourable and unfavourable-to relate them each to the other, to appraise them in that relationship and at the conclusion of my missim to present the sum of these labours to the President."-United Press,

New Wave Of Terror In Holy Land

Sirens walled today for the kighth time in four days after a grenade attack on Army lorry in the Jewish sector of the city. Earlied today, at Haifa, an electrically detonated mina flew up a lorry. The grenade attack did not cause and allies, but at Haifa a British soldier was hurt.

In the new wave of terror, which | The other two groups, he says, began six days ago, Jewish terrorists are in "all out" war against the British security forces, and wounded ing usnassination. 42, nine of them seriously, it was] announced here tonight.

the 4,500 intercepted illegal Jewish loss of 91 lives. immigrants from the "hell ship" President Garfield, who were report- officially mourned today at ceremonies ed to be on their way back to France | held in the hotel and attended by the In British transports.

In Paris, the Colombian Embassy ningham, and other officials. spokesman said today, that he could i not confirm the statement reported thrown at 5 delivery truck leaving. to have been made by the French the Syrian Orphanage, now used as Foreign Office spokesman that the a military finance office. immigrants had visas to admit them were no casualties, to Colombia.

The Embassy had asked its Government in Bogata for instructions, the Colombian spokesman added.

ARAB DEMAND

Meanwhile, it is reported from Beirut that the Lebanese Foreign Minister—who is acting as spokesman for the 'six Arab states 'of Egypt, Iraq, Syrin, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia and Yemen—demanded today at the first public hearing of the United Nations Special Committee on Palestine in Beirut that Jewish immigration into Palestine should be stopped immediately.

He accused the Zionists of territorial aspirations in Palestine. Transjordan and Syria, as well as in his own state-Lebanon.

He presented a memorandum agreed to by the delegates of the six Arab states, which based the Arab case on two "fundamental points"—the right of self-determination of the Palestine Arabs and the danger to peace in the Middle East. "The Arab Governments demand the immediate implementation of public was called on to demonstrate | the right of self-determination in

full," he said. "The Zionists have formulated a military and terrorist programme and have created a secret army organising terrorist divisions which have committed wide acts of destruction.

"These methods will undoubtedly provoke similar organisations in our midst and introduce into the Middle East elements of disturbance, said: "We do not think there is any violence and insecurity which might leopardise the position of Jews

BOYCOTT THREAT

If the Jews succeeded in creating a state, the Arab states would maintain a political and economic boycott, the Lebanese Foreign Minister

.The memorandum claimed that partition of Palestine would "only complicate the problem even more. The memorandum said that us compromise on the part of the Arab, equal rights and duties should be granted to every Jew who lawfully acquired Palestinian citizenof the Netherlands colonial regime." ship, and an independent government should be set up based on pro-

portional representation. The correspondent of the New York Times here today wrote that the Jewish underground organisa- able. present, since the British offer of tions have now apparently united in mediation had been noted by the a campaign of intimidation in retaliation for the re-shipment of the 4:500 Hiegal Jewish immigrants back to France.

> Jerusalem, was again alive tonight with explosions, machinegun fire, flares and the wall of sirens. The union of the underground alert fielding. groups is not a physical fusion, had their objectives are the same.

The Stern gang, and the Irgun oversight score, Butting for three Zval Leumi are obviously working and a half hours, he hit is fours in 108 (Maudsley 50. Walsh four for 34). After; one of the most exciting promise. Nobody will deny that | Indonesia that the Indonesian Re- together un joint terrorist attacks, his 137 and showed his best form but the Haganah is still operating until, failing to get right over a independently " directing attacks drive off Smith, he was well caught cannot expect to be settled by Linggardiati agreement, providing against military installations con- by Mann at deep mid-off. corned with hampering illegal im- The young wicket-keeper Ful- cashire 150 for two (Ikin 64, Place I. player, by 8-6, 6-8, 6-4, 4-6, 6-3)

been carried out with the Indonesian An example of the Haganah acti- sgain scored attractively when the At Lords: Middlesex bent Essex by Tom Brown and Bill Sidwell Republic since the signing of the vities, he states, was seen in Halfa tourists played out the two and a 102 runs. Middlesex 389 for seven reached the quarter-duals of the can only be justly and peacefully | 25", it said, "it has become clear yesterday when the radar and wire- half hours until time and scored declared men's doubles with a victory over that the present government of the less unit was blown up and the 42, while Mitchell was again in his (Edrich 83), Essex 850 and 293 and Italian combination by 0-3, 8-6,

Jerusalem, July 22.

tinues, the campaign of the terrorists next few months. In the same period. one civilian had been one of creating confusion was killed and seven wounded. One among the British military with from arrivals from other sections, terrorist is known to have died of sporadic attacks. There has been who may come in.. undiscovered, nothing approaching the tragedy of with the disease. The border Jerusalim was today without a year ago today, when the King open, and it is impossible to check further news of the whereabouts of David Hotel was blown up with the every seagoing junk arriving i

> The dead in that catastrophe were High Commissioner, Sir Alan Cun-

In Jerusalem three grenades were

In another part of the town a jeep ceptible to smallpox, was fired on, wounding a soldier and was no damage or casualties in the latter outrage.

There has also been considerable sniping today, apparently almed at confusing the military. These incidents generally resulted in all kinds of cross-fire.—Reuter.

H.K. POISON SCARE

No deaths from poisoning expected as the result of the accidental issue of the wrong medicine to TB patients at the Harcourt Health Centre, police said today.

Police had contacted all but nine of the persons who received the medicine. Only one man, a Kowloon city resident, was found to have consumed a dose, and he was treated with an antidote at a hospital last

mistake was discovered "apparently in time for us to find almost everyone before they taken a dose," a police spokesman likelihood of any death, and the yards. Inspectors searched. 17,174 situation is entirely under control." dwellings in the worst-infected secsearch for the nine people who had 517,405 persons in the process. not been notified due to change of address or absence from their listed November when there were 890 Sixteen bottles of the medicine the number to 560 in

have been recovered.

H.K. IS FIGHT STERN

Smallpox Almost Eradicated-At Least Temporarily

Hongkong is practically free from smallpox these days, but nearly 3,000 people daily flock to vaccination centres for the tiny scratch, which protects them from the often fatal disease.

The interest in vaccination is welcomed by the Medical Department, which remembers all too well the grim epidemic the 'Colony was experiencing' just eight months ago.

Only two cases of smallpox were reported last month, and one of these was traced to an outside area. Most parts of the world now have lifted the restrictions' they imposed on Hongkong travellers because of the outbreak, a fact which testifies to the effectiveness of the programme.

Medical authorities believe most of the resident population is a prohave killed six members of the British, and stop at nothing, includ- tected against the dread disease, at least for the time being, and they So far, the correspondent con- expect no serious trouble for

The greatest danger always Hongkong waters.

DRAMATIC CAMPAIGN The campaign which brought last winter's epidemic under control was

dramatic and effective. In a few short weeks, 1,241,825 men, women, and children were vac-There showed a reaction. This indicated that the nonvietion was highly sugar that the population was highly sus-

As many as 400 people, including and members of n' civilian passer-by, while down in medical, personnel and members of Zion Square some one threw a fire St John Ambulance Brigade, were bomb at an armoured car. There engaged in the anti-epidemic fight at one time. There were 150 men . A priest, benign of appearadministering the scrum.

Vaccinations were given on ferry wharves, outside theatres, at units, and on sampans anchored day. at shelters, as well as at hospitals, dispensaries, and other regular centres. All of Hongkong, Kowto reach residents on outlying sengers, searching for him.

But vaccination was only part of the story.

OTHER MEASURES Medical experts, looking back on

experience gained in the worst epidemic in recent history, consider these four methods most effective: 1. Intensive vaccination.

· 2. Use of public address vans to inform Chinese residents of the dangers of the disease. 3. Quarantine restrictions, especially at the Canton railroad

4. House-to-house vaccination and search for concealed cases and

The house-to-house campaign revealed 315 concealed cases of smallpox. Bodles-were found hidden under beds, on roofs, and in back-Police were continuing their tions of the city and vaccinated The epidemic was at its worst in cases. Prompt control methods cut man and in his bag when he escaped and to 143 in January.

But the death rate was high. The Colony had 1,998 cases of smullpox in 1946, and 1,305 of these died. The youngest patient was five days old and the oldest 67, but children were the worst sufferers. Nearly 85 per cent of the total cases were boys and girls between one and five years

STEADY DECLINE

Because most residents were vacelnated during the epidemic, Hongkong had no upsurge in March and April, usually the heaviest months for smallpox; and the disease has declined steadily since January.

"Our experience shows that the Colony's regular residents, Chinese as well as European, are sold on the value of vaccination," a Medical Department spokesman said, referring to the 71,748 persons who had she scrum in June.

"We hope they remember that vaccluation doesn't last indefinitely. Having it once a year does no harm, and certainly anyone exposed to the disease should be vaccinated immediately."

INSANE

London, July 22.

ance and gently pressing himself through the crowds, enterthe railway station, by mobile ed Waterloo railway station to-

A few minutes later, squads of police poured in after him. The disloon, and the New Territories was trict was cordoned off. Detectives covered, and sclaunches were used winnowed through thousands of pas-For the clergyman is believed to have been Edward Allen, 34, insane murderer who escaped from Broadmoor criminal asylum last night, apparently to slay the mother of the

baby he strangled ten years ago. All over England, police have been told to look out for a clergyman with strangely sturing eyes. Someone in the station, as the clergyman passed by, thought he saw in his eyes the gleam of madness of which every

newspaper has warned. **GUARDING PARENTS**

But if it was Allen, he was not found. Guards have been placed at the home of his parents and at the home of the mother of the 17months-old baby he was believed to have loved until he killed it on an After sentence of death, he was

committed to an asylum, to be de-

tained at the King's pleasure. In Broadmoor, he developed taste for theatricals. He produced a play with inmates in the cast and by thorough study made himself an accomplished actor and mimic. His favourite role was that of a clergy-December, was a clergyman's costume,-United

COUNTY CRICKET RESULTS

London, July 22. The South Africans dominated ended today were: pitch which dried out easily Derby 141 and 184.

Africans 270 and 147 for three: York- 38). Surrey 218, and 78 for four. shire 308.

The county lost their nine outstanding wickets for 137 runs today shire 261 and 71 for four declared. Budge Patty and Yvon Petra were narinst good spin bowling by Smith.

Mann and Rowan, supported by At Bournemouth: Hampshire deat singles of the French tennis chambrance outstanding of the French tennis chambrance of the French tennis chambrance outstanding outstan

wrote, but one of spirit in that disappeared when Len Hutton was (McCorkell 70, Eagar 58, Balley 73). reached the semi-finals by beating dismissed after adding 20 to his

leron, promoted to opening batsman, 80 not out). (Continued on Page 4) Laignals station attacked. best form in making 41 not out. (Wado 74 not out, Insole 63). 8-6, 6-4, 6-2, Reuter.

where summery weather and a son 68 not out. Pope six for 81). Parks 60).—Reuter.

after rain made a draw inevit- At Blackheath: Surrey beat Kent by six wickets. Kent 223 and 149 The final scores were: South (Valentine 63. Alee Bedser four for

> with Somerset. Somerset 259 and Wimbledon, by 7-9, 6-3, 8-6, 6-2. At Birmingham: Warwickshire Petra, last year's Wimbledon chamdrew with Leftestershire. Warwick Dion, by 4-6, 6-3, 6-1, 6-2.

Leicestershire 160 for seven. . . matches so far in the champion-At Stourbridge: Worcestershire ships, the American, Tom Brown, drew with Lancashire. Worcester- runner-up for the Wimbledon title, shire 116 (Pollard five for 36); Lan- beat Tony Mottram, England's No.

The results of other games which | At Hove: Sussex beat Glamorgan by five wickets. Glamorgan 200 and the last day's play at Sheffield, by 15 runs. Notts 100 and 210 Simp- and 376 for five (Cox 205 not out, At Ilkeston: Derbyshire beat Notts 230 for seven declared. Sussex 145.

Paris, June 22. The first upsets in the men's At Gloucester: Gloucestershire bent | singles of the French tennis cham-

At Bournemouth: Hampshire drew who reached the semi-finals at Much of the interest, in the name 44 for no wickets. Hampshire 201 | Another Hungarian, J. Asboth,

have occurred this week. First, the assassination of seven.

MINO cenulnely tragic

EDITORIAL

members of the Burmese Cabinet; second, the outbreak of hostilities in Indonesia. They are tragio because, judged by appearances, both represent blow at the much vaunted system of Democracy, U Aung San and his colleagues were slain by reactionaries, who, apparently; did not like Burma's political trend towards self-government by the people. Not dissimilarly, the Dutch have opened hostilities against the Indonesians, the action bearing signs that Le Hague cannot stomach the proposition that the natives should enjoy fullindependence. The resort to armed intimidation in both cases is but another: Illustration that the world has learnt no lessons from the savagery of World War Hi that treachery and might is still regarded as being superior to ethics and reason. Lost sight, of is that nothing decent or just can emergo from such actions. The appeal to the natives of Java and Batavia to "lay down your arms" because The Army has come

Compromise

specious and so much nonsense, because they resent the agreement of Linggadjati, and have repudlated at least one section of it. Indonesia, already stricken from the effects of the Pacific War; the Japanese occupation, and an internal upheaval during the past 18 months, cannot afford another conflict. She beeds peace and the opportunity of recovery; of making herself again one of the world's richest reposiforles of agricultural and mineral wealth; of producing to the full to the mutual advantage of Indonesia and her customers. For these reasons it is to be trusted that both Holland and Indonesia will accept Britain's offer of mediation in the conflict which has broken out, and that if they, doso, both sides will be willing to accept a just and beneficial comthe Dutch have certain legitimate claims upon Indonesia, but these force of arms. The very idea, in this year of 1947 is abhorent: connot be telerated. The situawith the aim of guaranteeing the tion in Indonesia is such that it agreement reached in Lingsage inti." in. to the Indonesians, iled by arblication.

CHERIBON BOMBED

British industry as a means of ported that three Dutch planes bombed Cheribon, between Batavia averting another fuel crisis this and Semarang, for an hour with heavy bombs. Heavy fighting con-"The well-being of the nation is tinued in the northern part of eastern the impetus to the speculation that

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Nat, will move from his Nest in Surrey to a Sea

Nest in Kent. He has already informed Mr Bloodsucker. the income tax collector, of his new address so that their fascinating correspondence, which has continued for so many years, may not be interrupted.

He has said goodbye to the landlord of the local low tavern at least a dozen times, and still has many opportunities of saying it again.

Baldy Budgen, his old Home Guard chum. because he will have to go into training for that. It may last a week, like the young squire's 21st birthday, party.

The Sweep, who is coming down to Kent for a bit of fishing, began saying goodbye last March and is' still saying it; The Man In A Pub . began a monologue which may have started as a goodbye but became so involved as time went on that he might easily have been saying

Apart from saying goodbye people, one must also say goodbye to things one has known for a long

Every time The Awful Child went back to school she said goodbye to things. She loved everything at home so much that she would say, "Goodbye chair, goodbye table, goodbye ten pot, goodbye plate." She could never say goodbye to the cake because it was always inside her.

Therefore, one must say goodbye to the tennis lawn, which was once used for tennis but, during the war, was used as a miniature rifle range. Here the family was trained musketry, both by your Uncle and crack shots of the Canadian Army.

It was the Plucky Little Woman, your Uncle's life partner, who first expressed a desire to shoot. When asked "What?" she said "Germans." When informed of the normal fate of francs-tireurs she sald, "If I ever see a field-grey uniform in my garden I shall shoot at it."

Nobody will ever know if Hitler got to hear about this, but recently about that time.

learned so quickly that bulls and are in bloom. inners were a commonplace; and the

new leaders.

sonal triumph.

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tence

NATHANIEL GUBBINS

dian Army by shooting a hole and every pea- a penny. These

If an isolated German had wan-dered into our garden he would have been perforated like a colander.

Goodbye to garden

WOUR Uncle must also say goodbye to the blg apple tree. It was under this tree that his hens, the Six Little Suckers, nobly

It was here where Gloria, dark, haughty and full-bosomed like an Edwardinn barmaid, took first piace at the food trough and bullled the others into submission; here where Mirabelle died of layer's cramp; and here where Little Em'ly, the halfsized hen, laid half-sized eggs and pined away for Steerforth, the handsome cock that crowed a couple of

Goodbye also to the tool shed. where the dustbin is kept and where -the British Ginger Cat. Manhattan road. Mouser, American tough cat, Monsieur O'Lala, the French Resistance cat, Herr von Psst, the German spy cat, Mr Pussytein, the black market cat, and Peter Pusskin from Russia.

gardens away.

And goodbye to the little patch of ground near the artificial pool where Sally the Cat lies buried. It would have been easier to say goodbye to the Nest itself in the winter with the snow piled round it, the pipes frozen, and the draughts from the lenky windows blowing lighted matches out.

But it is not so easy when the rose

quickly that she startled the Cana- each potato has cost threepence ankles."

Labour Is Emulating

The Wise Virgins

strated was that the rank who was rebuffed by the conference infirior, to that of its opponents.

entisfaction of heading this popula-

TAJERE there any spots on the Mar-

.YY gate sun? Yes, there were a

By ERNEST

THURTLE.

M. P.

-Mr Dalton was grim in speaking

Nor was Mr Morrison exactly

reassuring when he told the con-

Equally serious, from.

Government standpoint, was

ference it was a choice of "work or

Here is a nettle charged with

NE thing Labour's con- does not include the trade union

rity poll. 👉

and file are not hankering after on the tied cottage issue, had the

Other leading Ministers, too, had of what would happen if we failed

no reason to complain of their re- to close the gap between exports

DUT more significant than any- disclosure of the lack of unity

D thing else was the way the de- the trade union movement on

firmly by the Ministers, and spurned will have to grasp before long.

representatives, on the National and privileges.

legates voted for the constituency vital matter of manpower priorities

opinion within the party, because it. L'ABOUR is confined to the representatives L'argins. It is trimming its

and imports.

ference clearly demon- block votes.

Some of the assembled delegates

said critical things, and on the

advice of the leadership.

dence in the Government.

issue of equal pay for women there

was an emphatic rejection of the

Nevertheless, their general atti-

The Prime Minister enjoyed what

Acclaimed with great vigour be-

fore he spoke, he sat down, after

a speech exactly fitted to the mood

of the conference, do a veritable

In particular, Mr Morrison was

Offered a clear choice, they stood

. Voting in this particular case is essentially a reflection of popular.

of the constituency parties, and lamps.

the thrustful, aspiring critics.

dreeted with great warmth and

enthusiasm, although he had some

sobering words to say.

must have been a gratifying per-

tude was one of enthusinstic confi-

through a sixpence with a .22 rifle figures were arrived at after countint 20 yards, then shooting a stone ing the cost of hired labour, the off a string at 25 yards, and finally number of potatoes frostbitten in the .- He has not yet sald goodbye to cutting the string in half with her coal shed, and the number of peas eaten, by the birds,

Goodbye to doggies

IT will be ensiest of all to say good-L bye to the local doggies, partiwaged a private war on your Uncle rend the labels.

laid their eggs on a wartime diet patted on the head by tweedy, doggy before he left. of potato prelings and plate scrapmen, has always resented your And goodbye to the photograph it was really Faisan a la Sainte charms. It also seems to be aware looking like a little old lady dressed

> Therefore, when he is obliged to walk past this doggie's house, 'it waits for him in the middle of the

> If your Uncle moves over to the left the doggie moves over to the right. If he moves over to the right it moves over to the left.

Sally the Cat entertained her friends right on sitting in the middle of the cling to each other in the coach.

When your Uncle is within ten yards of the doggle it rises, growling and hairs bristling. This is the time to say "Good doggie" and "Nice doggie," but your Uncle refuses to compromise with doggle.

doggies take advantage of all weak- himself. ness and would soon have his pants . At one time, for a shilling or two, ing anywhere but at the doggie.

vasion of England was cancelled trees are budding and the garden comes when the doggie snifts at his cheese were lavish and the pickled of the Wicker establishment. He had is yellow with wild primroses and trousers. Aithough he is longing to shallots the talk, of Surrey. And just learned that he was too latel After a few lessons the P.L.W. the pink and white crab apple trees increase his pace, he knows he many a hungry tramp has eaten there "Give my regards to Mrs Farragoe," mustn't because he knows that won- for nothing. The vegetable garden won't be derful doggle brain would tell itself Other Awful Child learned so missed. It has been estimated that "Hal He is frightened. I will bite his sailor who speaks his mind and Bottleneck

Those days are gone.

its opponents.

more pronounced. .

technical inferiority.

Indeed, I think the position

Election comes, defeat is not likely

to come to Labour because of

But, of course, the well-oiled

machine is not everything. Against

a new issue which comes like a

thief in the night, or a heavy swing

of the pendulum, the most expert

TREAT was the triumph of the

In spite of all the bitter attacks

Foreign Secretary at Margate.

little band of servile disciples over

here. Ernest Bevin hos been shown

to enjoy the confidence of all but a

fragment of the Labour movement,

There is, indeed, something re-

bulk of British people, of all shades

of opinion, reject the advice so

freely offered them from abroad, and recognise in this notable Foreign Secretary a true exponent

of their best hopes and aspirations for a peaceful world.

the of Izvestin and Pravda, and their

electioneering flings itself in vain.

now reversed, and that already.

So he keeps on walking steadily. all the doggles in all the world, while this particular doggie nibbles at his trousers until he is beyond the house.

POCKET CARTOON

it saves my laundry bill!

WAY

by Beachcomber

we we were promised?

Alliance that, was served to

with distaste. The honeymoon was

at Victoria Station, Staunton had gone

to make a telephone call. He had

told her on this, the last day of the

honeymoon, that he had lost all this

money and that Nimblesby was up

"I've just been on to dear old Ma

room is there when she wants

and unhappy to speak. Bacic again

though turned to cement at the door

RATHER big business executive

tion for Tegistration has been duly

will, in due course, receive your ap-

ment said: "There is a bottleneck."

Lynette was too, ongry

It is at there times that he has an intense sympathy for postmen and often wonders why they don't refuse to deliver letters to houses where there are large and unpleasant doggles. Or even small unpleasant

Goodbye to local

PART from saying goodbye over And over again to Mr. Frank Adams, the one-armed ex-sallor who has kept the local low tavern these 40 years or more, goodbye must also. be said to certain things in the local low tavern.

Goodbye, for Instance, to the mystery bottles which to your Uncle's WATHERE is all this, whaleknowledge have been on the top cularly a rather big doggle, who has They are so old that nobody can Aha! Has no informer or paid | spy noticed enormous-monsters

Some say they are full of old This doggle, accustomed to be Scotch, some say brandy, some say being hauled in at the back called "Good doggie" and "Nice port, Mr Adams won't tell, though doors of the expensive hotels doggie" by squeaking mutrops and your Uncle would like to have known after dusk? And do you think

Uncle's indifference to a doggie's of the late Admiral Earl Jellicoe, that he is nervous of big doggies. up in naval uniform: and to the Baron-in his private room? photograph of the bearded matelots grinning under the children's straw Starlight and Slime hats worn in tropical parts by the Navy 50 years ago; and to the coloured print of a toff fighting a blacksmith on the Brighton Road. MRS STAUNTON FARRAGOE!

The point about this picture is that over, and she sat in the waiting-room while the blacksmith is bard-headed and businesslike the toff still wears his dopper while his doolman holds If he keeps straight ahead it goes his cloak and the frightened ladies

> There is nothing very special for sale. "Where are we to live?" about the local low tavern. It is she asked. "I have a little surprise for not olde worlde and has none of ye you," said he. When he returned from "wondrous neat and clean" like the telephoning he sprang his surprise. phonic olde oake beames. But it is miner's cottage.

No drunkenness is allowed there, Wicker," he said. "Our rooms are and if anybody uses bad language ready—and your mother's old Often, in a panic, he has thought in the presence of a lady he is of turning in his tracks, even run- thrown out by the flerce glance and ning away, but he knows that sharp command of Mr Frank Adams

to that den of cabbagel Oh, Paul off. So he keeps on walking, look- you could eat the hest meal in Eng- Treason, Paul Treason! At that . land there (that is if you like plain moment Treason , was standing as cooking) and the best omelette out-The supreme test of his courage side France. Portions of bread and

he blurted through set teeth. Frank Adams is a Devonshire-born stands no nonsense. He neither crawls to the rich nor patronises the poor; but if anybody in the village A said yesterday: Fourway multiple is down on his luck the little onearmed ex-szaman, who bears a strong registration might as well be called resemblance to Captain Kettle, is no-way registration. We have made the first to offer help. 34 applications for units of registra-, tion, back and forth, up and down, in

sets of two, but the only result has Goodbye will be said at a dinner been the return to us of our original to the Golf Club which, for a time, papers with instructions to send them was your Uncle's Home Guard headquarters when we were known as in by August 3. No licence or permit has arrived, but every day we get a The Golf Club Grenndiers.

There he will say goodbye to the printed form saying: "Your applicahall floor where we slept when we were not looking for German paratroops; to the bullet hole in the ceil-received and its contents noted. You Time was when the party went into election fights, with the knowing made by a trigger-happy Grena-Incidentally, Mr Ancurin Bevan, ledge that its electoral machine was dier showing a recruit how to unload plication, together with the necessary his rifle; and to the strong point papers." An official of Suct's Departwhere he first mat Mr Bloodsucker, the income-tax collector, in person, is and shared his lukewarm cocon and Coincidence? in paste sandwiches instead of shooting him while he had the chance.

technical efficiency, the Labour or-There will still be two weeks left A with his knuckles fell down a ganisation is more than a match for before the departure to Kent. One week will be spent in strict training With the new plans party head- and the other in saying goodbye to quarters are putting into operation, Baldy Budgen, as before stated.

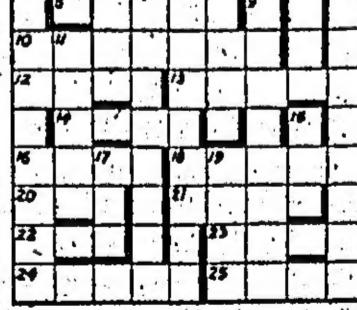
that superiority is likely to become Note: It is no use writing in for vacant possession of The Nest: That has all been arranged. So, whenever the next General

manhole at Claxted-St.-Olaf. He climbed out again, and the first person he met was a niece he had not

seen for two years.

MAN who can play the piano

(Special Cable.)

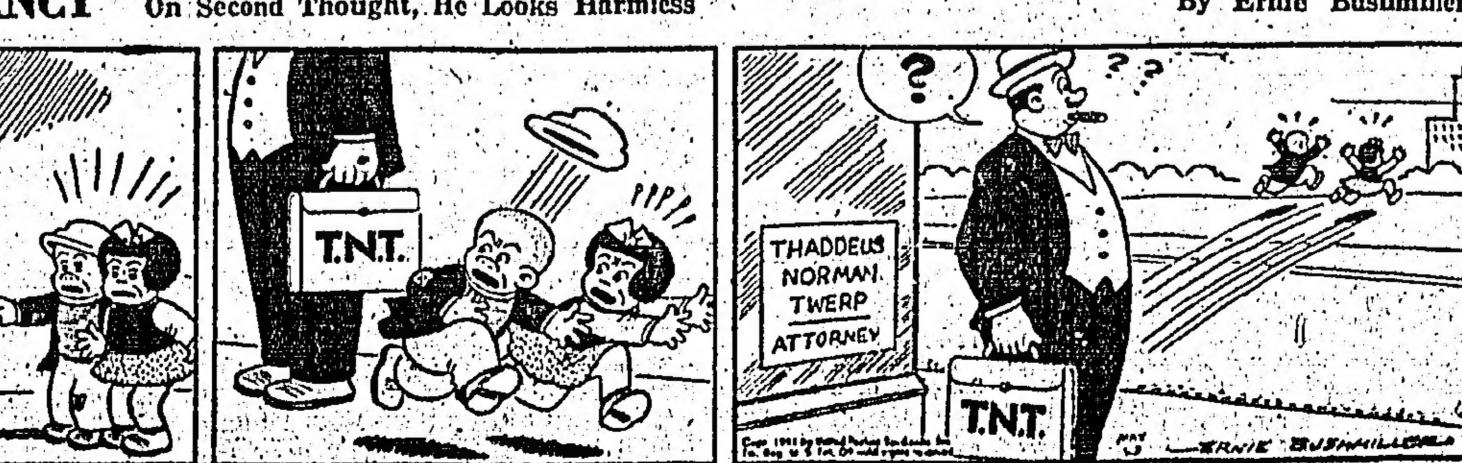


B. You may find it at foot of door or window, (4).
B. For a bird she has no return. 10. Peculiar name for a pre-view.
12. A very small thing. (4)
13. Its purpose is fastening. (5)
14. Valley. (4)

Races for a change, (6) The temper of any fireless b 21. Fall for the journey. (4)
22. The return of a varsity professor. 23. The prickly saltwort. (4) 24. More blessed than a receiver, (5) 25. Bome cricketers pro but they hate

> 1. All housewives are sick of it. (0) 2. Trim. (4) Inhiterial. (3)

NANCY On Second Thought, He Looks Harmless By Ernie Bushmiller



many stings, which the Government assuring in the fact that the great

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to make one. (4) Down

3. A colloquy of three persons. (9) 4. Sec 1 Across.
5. He's Just the sort to toll. (5) 6. Unprofessional. (4) 7. It makes a high split. (9)
9. This sort of road is a main channel. (8) II. Wanderer. (5) io. Briefly an agent or perhaps and 4 Down: Correct tollen 10. Old-fashioned ships. (4)

Bolution of yesterday's pursic.—Aeresay
1. Bergrant; 9. Amour; 10. Lays; 12.
Lien; 13. Rover; 14. U.N.O.; 15. Peter
10. Ever; 17. Trod; 18. Tutor; 23. Ogre;
14. Yearn; 25. Heart, 20. Acetylene,
10 Down; 1. Balutary; 2. Eminent; 3. Roe;
4. Gunner; 5. Error; 6. Aioft; 7. Nave;
6. Mare; 11. Veto; 14. Uvula; 16. Tony;
19. Ugh; 20. Tree; 21. Rare; 22. Art.

this is the date when the

Act-which will provide Britain with the world's most com-

prehensive public health service —is expected to come into

to be ready with all available

Every expectant mother or nursing

Regional Hospital Boards will

specialist, where necessary.

obstetrician from it."

clude for them, as for the rest of

Training All Midwives

authorities are told to make special

efforts to see that all midwives are

trained in the administration of gas

soon as possible. The necessary ap-

Obstetrical "terms," composed o

wives and a consultant obstetrician,

Mr Bevan warns local health au-

quate and chiclent domestic help

pared to consider proposals to supply

domestic helps with outdoor as well

Will Get Priority

Other matters dealt with by Mr

ger demand for dental treatment

than the available dentists can meet

mothers and young children must be

HEALTH VISITORS:-They must

co-operation with the family doctor.

HOME NURSING: - Advantage

ILLNESS: — Arrangements must

be made for the care and aftercare

of the tuberculous and sufferers

FROM CAMP TO

WAR OFFICE

How Flight-Lieut. W. A. Wise

from other illness.

work."

as indoor uniforms.

Bevan include:

Regarding painless childbirth, local

resources on that day.

practitioner obstetricians."

Cooke This Space Every Day BEAUTY ARTS By LOIS LEEDS



Posed by Jean Tierney for Lois Leeds. Wear your hair in a style which really becomes YOU, not your

favourite movie start HAIR STYLINGI

How many of you consider the shape of your face when you do your hair or select a new hair style? You should consider the shape of your face and select a hair style that really flatters and one that you can do at home, yourself.

Of course you want to look as attractive as possible. "What woman Well judging doesn't?", you ask. by the unbecoming hairdos which some of you select, they don'tl

Consider your face from every angle-front, side and centre. yours the ideal-the Oval face? so you can wear the latest wh'm of fashion and stril look levely. Bu even so there are certain styles that do the most for you. The Oval Face looks best with the "pretty" type of hairdo.

Round. The Round Face imeds careful study. If it's a young Round face, you can wear rather extreme Upswept hairdos—the sleek, high rolls the high-on-the-one-side and the exciting upswept sides and back. If you are a bit on the mature side, the Round Face needs a bit of softening of the hairline, but UP and

& GABRIELLE

off the face. This "upswing" tends to "lift" the heavy chin line.

Long. The Long Face demands soft width across the front, a little width at the sides and low arrangement at the back. The blg "bun" is the perfect style because the Long Face is usually accompanied by a long neck. If your hair isn't long, weir an artificial "bun", .caught in

Square, The Square Face needs a hair style with "broken" lines to soften the equare look. Irregular wave patterns, parted on the side, never in the middle. Look at yourcelf carefully and shape your hair until it takes on the design that you want. Keep the hair off the face and off the neck.

Heart-Shaped! The wide-at-forehead, pointed-nt-chin face is called very prettily, the Heart-Shape and so, to widen the lower half of the face is your aim, or should be. Irregular bongs, braids and unusual styles are very becoming. The Page Boy style must have been revived just for the beautification of the, Heart-Shaped Facel

She Conquered Disability

Margaret Garnet Fletcher, 18, born without hands or feet, has learned to use her teeth and tongue.

As a child of five years, gripping a pencil_between_her_teeth_she_taught herself to draw. Now she paints in water colours and oils with case, and is looking for a money-making job as a photograph tinter.

Her tongue is equally "useful. Gripping a container of lip rouge with her teeth, she manipulates it with her tongue and paints her attractive mouth as neatly as any other teen-aged American girl.

The daughter of Mr and Mrs Thomas Flotcher, of Oklahoma City, Margaret views her handleap philosophically:

"If a person is physically handlcapped, it is because God intended is my belief that He intends those persons to make the best use of their abilities, instead of just giving up."-Associated Press. .

SIDE GLANCES

New in hair styles-Silver or

Gold powder to sprinkle on your

hair for Evening Glamour. Wide

bands of Black velvet with Silver

buttons sewn on the edge or Gold

buttens on Resc-colored velvet.

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Silver or Gold sequins, make a glit-

ter turban, keep your hair in place

and Glamorous at the same time.

By Galbraith



"The only arguments I ever win are the simple oneslike which shall I do first, empty the garbage or sweep the sidewalk?

Help Mothers-Bevan Orders

Specialists for mothers, painless childbirth for all—not only those who can afford to pay—and improved domestic help services. These are three features of the new National Health Service Act now being planned by Mr Aneurin Bevan; the Health Minister.

The details are in a 24-page circular which the Minister has sent to all local authorities in England. It gives free guidance to the authorities in planning the Home Health Service, for which they will be responsible from July 5 next year.

operation.

M.P.'s WIFE BECOMES HIS "VOICE"

has appointed his young wife of maternity work willing to attend again, alongside some of the confinements and, in case of need, most modern 600 mph jet figh-

Mother of two children, Mrs Mary Perrins will deliver speeches at functions while her husband, Mr Wesley Perrins, Labour M.P. for differences between the present Yardley, Birmingham, sits mute and maternity and child welfare services gels the applause.

Doctors ordered Mr Perrins "a long cruise on a banana boat" to give his throat a chance to recover, but mother and every child will, if they instead. Mrs Perrins volunteered to wish, have a family doctor; and speak for him.

"She speaks like a trained orator," said Mr Perrins. "Speeches will be prepared for her and she'll rehearse the community, the services of

"She will not deliver political if there should be any -heckling I nant," says Mr Bevan, "will be to bomber and a fighter; and supplies shall deal with that."

In the Commons other M.P.'s will be himself is not on the local speak for Mr Perrins.

EUROPEAN CONGRESS

and air analgesia (pain killer) as Encouraged by the European reconstruction plan suggested paratus is now more readily availby United States Secretary of State George C. Marshall, advocates of the Pan-European doctors, selected officers of the local authorities' maternity service, midarranged have European Congress to be held are expected to be formed in each at Gstad, Switzerland, on area. September 8.

for last April, was not held because seriously hampered without an ade- day with a difference. the tense relations between Eastern and Western Europe.

Richard Coudenhove - Kalergi, president of the Union, recently told members of the Swiss parliament he thought moral support from America would tend to balance Russian opposition to the Union scheme.

All members of parliament in western Europe had been asked-if. they supported the principal of a European union, said Coudenhove-Kalergi, with the result that 28 percent answered the questionnaires; 27 percent of them affirmatively.— Associated Press.

given priority. Jessie Pinned HEALTH VISITORS:-They mus concern themselves not only with mothers and young children, but with the whole family, working in closest Her Man Down

Jessie, sleek and swift, her should be taken of the long exgolden-and-black coalt gleaming perience and skill of the existing district nursing associations to plan a in the light of Hyde Park home nursing service. alin or her to be that way. And it Corner's lamplight, pounced on an alleged bag-snatcher and pinned him to the ground until a policeman arrived.

As a result of this "arrest" man was charged at Marylebone Magistrates' Court with stealing a handbag from Mrs Bridget Mac-

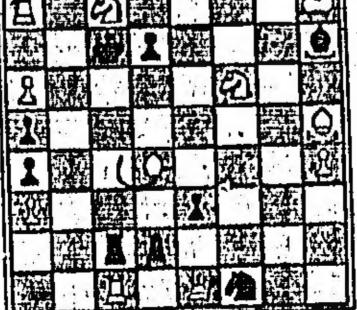
Jessie secured her arrest after P.C. Shelton, on night pairol, hearing a woman scream near "orator's cor-ner," Hyde Park, London, chased a man who threw away a woman's handbag as he ran. When he closed with the man the constable was

while a prisoner in Germany must Her reward was a special late still remain a secret, the War Office supper of-bones. For Jessle is a states. big Labrador dog.

the night patrol dogs, especially made in the citation accompanying trained to protect people walking the recent announcement of the London's streets after dark. award of the M.B.E. to Flight-Lieut.

CHESS PROBLEM

By S. P. B. FLATAU Black, 9 pieces.



White, 11 pleces. White to play and mate in three. Solution to yesterday's problem:

1 Q-QI, any; 2 Q. It. Kt. (ch. of die ch), or P(=Q) mates.



1910 AIRPLANE (Bleriot model) WILL FLY AGAIN

Mr' Bevan tells the authorities An "old crock" airplane, 37 years old and almost the same Ordered by doctors to keep says the circular, will draw up lists as the one which made the first silent for six months, an M.P. of doctors with special experience Channel flight in 1909, is flying doctors are described as "general ters.

It is a 1910 Bleriot, built-by the famous French flyer who the year The Minister points out these before flew the Channel. . The old airplane is on show at the big Blackpool air pageant which and those to be provided under the opened on July 2, and lasting three

Organised by the Air League o the British Empire, the pageant is to give the people in the north an The hospital services of the apportunity of seeing some of Britain's latest airplanes.

There are acrobatic flying by t Meteor jet fighter, a Spitfire and a Harvard trainer; formation flying by "The duty of the family doctor Meteors, Mosquitoes and Lancaster speeches—that wouldn't be fair—but consulted by a woman who is preg- bombers; a mock, combat between a see that she knows how to obtain will be dropped by parachute.

- Naval fighters give a demonstraapproved list, to help the woman tion of how they take off and land to choose a general/ practitioner on carriers, using a dummy "fight deck" built on the airfield.

Arrested In France By Mistake

Harry Ridge, 25-year-old son of the licensee of the Ball Inn. Ecclesfield, near Sheffield, went The Congress, originally scheduled thorities that their services would be to the Continent and had a holi-

He reached home early this month, after being arrested by the French To aid recruitment, he recommends police in mistake for a man wanted the appointment of an able and ener- on charges of desertion, violence getic organiser and says he is pre- and manslaughter.

> The wanted man had been travelling under his name and had given his address.

Mr H. G. McGhee, Labour MJ' for Penistone, is to ask in the House what compensation can be given Mr Ridge for his wrongful TEETH:-As there may be a big- arrest:

> Mr Ridge was arrested in his Nice hotel by two French detectives, who said he was a deserter from the British Army.

"I protested my innocence, but in broken English they merely told me British military police would call for me," he said.

EL. ALAMEIN ANNIVERSARY

The El Alamein Anniversary, this year is being held at the Albert Hall on Thursday, October 23. Guest of honour will be Mr Ernest Bevin. the Foreign Minister, whose speech, as well as that, of Field Marshal Montgomery, will be brondenst,

In addition to all ranks of the British Army who actually took part in the battle, it is hoped this year to invite members of the Desert communicated with the War Office Air Force who were there. ..

This is the thirteenth "arrest" by Reference to these messages was Model Plane Crash Dives, Hits Girl

Wise (30), Malten, Yorks. Ho Two thousand speciators olned the R.A.F. in 1940, and was as a sit, model engined aircraft captured the next year, when his dived low at Fairlop, Essex, sirfield plane crashed. In February, 1943, and crashed into a schoolgirl who he escaped but was recaptured. flung herself on the ground to try to "Between October, 1942, and Sen- avoid it: "

tember, 1944," says the citation, After lying on the groun "Flight-Lieut, Wise communicated several seconds the girl, After lying on the ground on many occasions with the War Bennett, aged 15, of Hord, got to Office by secret means. He has re- her feet and said: "I didn't dive ceived high commendation for this down fast enough."

She had a gashed arm and finger

Rupert and the Young Imp-25



plaining. That Imp of Summer is and has no business to be out yet. he says rather angrily. "Goodness knows how much harm he may do to the trees if he gets to work on them so soon. Our king is very annoyed about it ! Rupert points to the woodland at the edge of the common. "I last saw him in one of those trees, he says If you meet mer by your pile of boulders

after l've had my tea l'il take you to

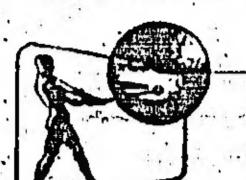
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try to find him.

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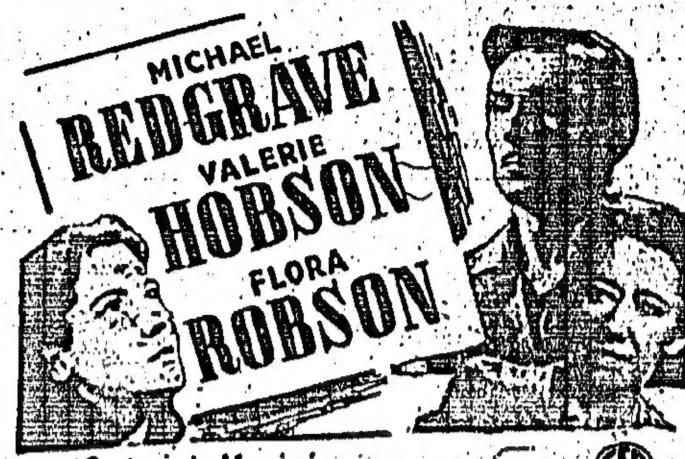
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Dated this 18th day of July, 1947.

By Order of the Council, H. DE SA.

Acting Hon. Secretary.

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British Troops Ready To Give Help In Burma If Required

Rangoon, July 22. British troops are ready to give what help may be required in Burma should any "unstable elements" try to take advantage of the situation caused by the assassination of the seven Ministers on Saturday, a senior British Army spokesman of the Burma Command stated today.

BETRAYAL **OFCOMRADES** ALLEGED

New York, July 22. Harold Hirshberg, 29-year-old soners of the Japanese, including one Army private who was berg allegedly told the Japanese the Navy court martial at the New York Navy shipyard. Brooklyn.

He answered, "Not guilty, Sir," as Lt. Comdr. Fred Frey, judge advocate, read the charges. These included three charges-maltreatment of a person subject to his orders, conduct prejudicial to good order and discipline, and assaulting another person in the Navy-and 'nine specifications relating to events in Japanese prisoner of war camps in the Phillippines.

The specifications accused Hirshberg of brutalising seven men and informing on three of them. One of the men, Private George Garrett, died as a result of Japanese torture. According to the charge, Hirshberg told a Japanese official at Camp Murphy, Luzon, that Garret planned an escape attempt. As a result Garrett was beaten with fists, clubs,

straps and rifles. The specification said the Japanese inserted a garden hose in Garrett's mouth and filled his stomach with water. Then they stamped on his stomach and forced him to expel water. He died after three days of torture, the specification said.-United Press.

Amphibious Forces Invade Java Port

(Continued from Page 1) Republic is either unprepared or not

Linggadjati agreement on March able to implement that agreement. "Furthermore, the truce concluded producers. on-October-14,-1946,-hus-in-reality -The-decision-was-taken-by-the Republican forces; the government of the Republican themselves have not denied that hostilities were com-

mitted by their forces. "During the last few months, acts of violence, both on the demarcation lines in Java and Sumatra and against east Indonesia and western Borneo, have rather increased than decreased. They were accompanied by the senseless destruction valuable economic assets.

FOOD BLOCKADE

"By maintaining a food blockade,

part of the population of Indonesia was brought to the verge of starvation. Hostages are still being imprisoned and held in Republican territory and hostile and inflammatory propaganda was maintained. "The Netherlands, as the state with whom the sovereignty of this territory rests, and which consequently is ultimately responsible for maintaing law and order, cannot allow these inimical actions to continue. It has become patently clear that the present Republican government is incapable of maintaining security, law and order in their territory whilst refusing to co-operate with the Netherlands Government to provide the necessary conditions

"In these circumstances, Her Majesty's Government have, with the utmost reluctance, been compelled to |: authorise the Lieutenant Governorof a strictly limited character.

unflinching decision to carry out a since March 1022. political programme based upon the. principles underlying the Linggadjati Lloyds indicated, however, that the

fidently hopes that circumstances months were boosted by delays which will soon permit it to resume cons.) present circumstances impose on the tructive co-operation with the Re- completion of ships and the resulting public as desired by innumerable prolongation of building time. Indonesians in Republican territory, which co-operation already successfully exists with the states of east Indonesia and Borneo."-Router.

Bordeaux Tragedy

been cut off .-- Reuten

tions, he said, measures had been of the assassinated Burmese leader, taken to "assist the Burma Army in intends to devote the rest of her life case the Government requested the to prayer for her husband's soul. help of Burma Command troops in maintaining law and order."

of the British forces in Burma. Rangoon City was declared out of bounds to all British troops today, probably to prevent any incidents during a series of "condolence demonstrations" led. by Burmese Communists and trade unionists.

The bodies of the seven former Navy chief signalman, today Ministers lay in state in the Jubilce pleaded innocent to charges of Hall, to which demonstratorsmistreatment of his fellow pri- students, Government employees and representatives of public bodiesmarched to pay homoge...

Thakin Tan Tu, the Burmese tortured to death when Hirsh- Communist leader, told a "vengeance" gathering of 20,000 workers that "British imperialist hirelings" that he planned to escape. plotted the murder of Aung San and Hirshberg was arraigned before the six other Ministers of the Burma Executive Council on Saturday.

He called upon the Burmese peasants and workers to "crush the British imperialists and their toadles and achieve Burma's goal of complete independence.

PREVIOUSLY WARNED Thakin Nu, newly appointed

Deputy Chairman of the Burmese Executive Council, revealed today that Aung San and other leaders of the Anti-Fascist Peoples Freedom League had been warned some time ago of the probability of assassina-

Secretary, was among those who gave | ed," and, generally, it, was considerus the information. He even gave ed likely that he had been detained the treaty after its ratification by us the names of those who would by the authorities for his own safemake the attempt", Thakin Nu said. Ity in view of the rising public temthat the murderers would be brought | which opposed the AFPFL. to justice very soon.

USEFUL LOAN CONCESSION

being done", he said.

Washington, July 22. The United States has agreed that | Police and troops still occupied apply to British trade with non- they had found arms. self governing areas of the Empire,

ment is expected shortly.

The concession means that Britain by making Sterling purchases of similar supplies in most currency areas, without being accused of discriminating against American

never been complied with by the National Advisory Council, topranking - policymaking body in foreign economic affairs, after Britain, over a fortnight ago, submitted a request for interpretation of Article IX of the Agreement, forbidding Britain to cut off purchases, of United States goods and buy the

same goods elsewhere. This clause still applies to British trade with self-governing areas of the Commonwealth, such as South Africa and Australia, and no relaxation of this part of the Agreement is forescen at present.

· Nevertheless, the concession will Grammos and Zagoria areas mean that Britain, having only re- Epirus. cently, - cut off United States food purchases, will be able to buy Pales- meanwhile said that it had learned tine oranges and West Indian grapefruit instead.-Reuter.

G.B. Leads In Shipbuilding

London, July 22. ping under construction in the world second with -with the exception of Russia, Germany and Japan-is being built in Britain, figures issued by Lloyds Register of Shipping showed today. The total world tonnage under construction at the end of June (exclud-General to resort to police measures ing Russin, Germany and Japan) was 3,840,856 tons, of which 2,062,949 "The Netherlands Government tons was being built in British ship-It's Going To Be Tough Task

total figures of ships under construc-"The Netherlands Government con- tion in Britain during the last twelve

During the second quarter of 1947, 243,644 tons were launched in Britain and 322,067 tons were launched in other countries of the world, have been well-behaved under Gen Lloyds stalistics added.

tain, France was leading with 236,- A State Department's proposal of an that it has been too exclusively an 678 tons under construction. Other early conference of the countries re- American show, The sooner, there- apparently, so far, failed to issue Two survivors of a troop of 18 main shipbuilding countries were: presented on the Far Eastern Com- forc, a settlement can be arranged any directive to British dealers to World News; 8.10, London Relay: Homo girl guides, trapped by a rising Holland, 224,000 tons; Canada, 101,- mission to discuss a peace settlement which will be acceptable to all the tide near Bordenux last night, died 000 tens; the United States, 183,000 with Japan is a reminder that the nations with primary interests in today, bringing the death toll to tons; Denmark, 140,000 tons; Sweden, future international status of 75,000- the Far East, the better for all 67,000 tons; and Spain, 112,000 tons. | 000 Asiatic and Germans remains to | concerned. The two remaining survivors were Of the total under construction in be fixed by their conquerors. said to be in a grave condition. The Great Britain and Ireland at the end bodies of two others had not yet been of June, "nbout half consisted of steamers and other half motorships, writing a peace treaty for it to sign | The thing to do now is to give their no deroign demand. The girls, aged between 18 and while at the same date, the tonnage is going to be difficult. Countries intelligence and industry a chance 17 years, were exploring a senshore being constructed abroad comprised most . immediately .. concerned are to make its full contribution to world at low tide, unaware that they had 537,600 tone of steamers and 1,248,- China and India, the USSR, Canada, recovery and prosperity.".- Asso-107 tons of motorships.—Reuter. Australia and the Latin-American clated Press.

Describing the military precau- | Mrs Aung San, 30-year-old widow "For me the world has collapsed". she said today, "I have no purpose He did not disclose the strength in life except to pray for my husband and to bring up his children.
DIES FROM SHOCK

Mrs Mahn Ba Khaing, widow of the late Labour Minister, diedr hero yesterday. She had fainted on hear-ing the news of her husband's assassination and failed to recover

Bo Let-ya, the newly appointed Defence Member of the Executive Council, said today that the personnel of the Burmese defence forces will be strictly above politics.

He added that he would speed up the "nationalisation" of the Burmese defence forces. The Burma police said tonight that they had secured "positive evidence" in the plot which led to the

assassination on Saturday of Aung San and his colleagues... Investigations and questionings continued today, and it was reported that a number of followers of U Saw, the former Premier, had been

arrested at Prome, Central Burma. BA MAW DISAPPEARS The disappearance of the ex-

Premier, Ba Maw, from his home yesterday still remained unsolved in Rangoon tonight. Thakin Nu, the new Deputy Chair-

man of the Interim Government, "U Ba Swe, the AFPFL General said that Ba Maw was "not arrest-He added that he was confident per against the leaders of parties

The police today carried out a letters and papers.

the murdered Burmese leaders are of ratification. lying in state. Three unknown- men gunmen then drove casualties are reported.

the non-discrimination clause of the tonight the house of the ex-Premier, British Loan Agreement shall not U Saw, in which, it was reported, orza, has personally taken such a Comercio" says that neither the press reached Rhee in such a manner as to

A formal State Department state- bordering U Saw's residence on the of his policies and make his position outskirts of the city. According to another source, police

dump,-Reuter.

GUERILLAS DISPERSED

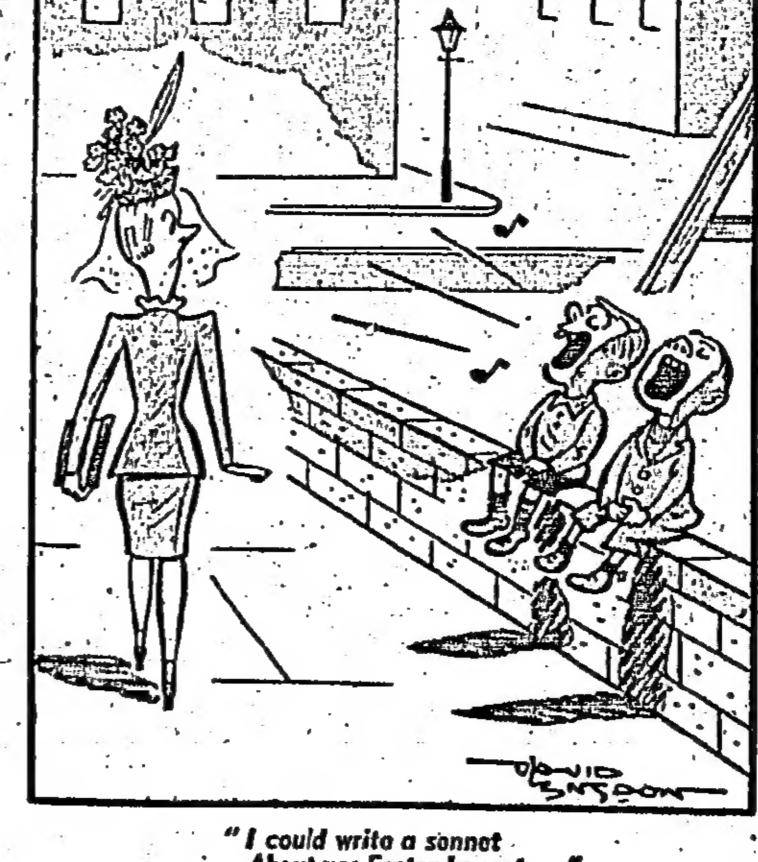
Athens, July 22. The Greek First, Second and gats near the Bulgarian frontier Independents. and killed eight guerillas. Thirty-eight prisoners

The Royalist newspaper, Vradyni, that large international brigade forces were massed in Yugoslavia and Albania 'along the Greek frontiers and that the commanders had issued confidential orders that all wounded brigade members must be killed and identification papers destroyed.

In Athens, the police said they discovered two caches of munitions in a quarry on the outskirts of the

and ammunition. belonged to Leftist groups, was tration camps, until United States moved them from the city into the troops freed him in May, 1945. suburbs. The pearch is continuing in the two suburban areas for other when young, and had been married hidden stores.—United Press.

concerned."



About yer Easter bonnet . . . "

Dim Prospects Of Italian Peace Treaty Ratification

Rome, July 22. Renewed Leftist opposition tonight again dimmed prospects of speedy Italian ratification of the peace. treaty and threatened a change in recent Italian foreign policy and the climination of the Foreign Minister. Count Carlo Sforza.

Party leaders' withdrew their earlier support of the government compromise agreement by which Italy would immediately agree to enforce Constituent Assembly debate on ratification be postponed until at least September.

The Communist leader, Palmiro "The investigations are progressing two-and-a-half hours search of the Togliatti, continuing his programme satisfactorily. Everything possible is residence of the former Commerce of embarrassing the de Gasperl Minister, U Ba Pe, and removed government, declared that his party would call for a full debate on A minor shooting aftray occurred Italy's foreign pellcy at the next this morning at the gate of the meeting of the Assembly unless the Jubilce Hall, where the remains of government agreed to postponement

The debate on ratification was in a jeep opened fire on the armed originally scheduled to start in the the Macao question and denies a request for investigation by the sentries who returned fire. The Assembly tomorrow, but was delayoff. No ed until Thursday as a last minute attempt to reach a new compromise. People's Council. MINISTER'S POSITION

The Foreign Minister, Count self governing areas of the Empire, ammunition were dug up yesterday in Italian ratification would be from the banks of Kokine Lake, tantamount to Assembly disavowal national mix up involving Portuguese He said Rhee got no reply.

untenable. Leftist elements have also attackwill be able to compensate herself and military had found 150,000 ed Count Sforza's close association for cuts made in Dollar purchases rounds of ammunition in a secret with Anglo-American policy, both in the Assembly and in their newspapers, and have frequently demanded his resignation.

The former Foreign Minister, Pictro Nenni, leader of the Communist Socialists, provoked the collapse of the government's compromise agreement for speedy ratification with the demand, that the matter be postponed until after the Assembly's summer recess,

Nennl's demand was supported by Third Corps, in communiques of Gluseppe Saragat's moderate Sotoday, said that they dispersed cialists and some of the extreme large guerilla band at Kara- Right, including the Liberals and

Backed only by Saragat's Socialists a few Independents' and his own Christian Democrats, de Gasperi's government would be defeated No action was reported in the ratification were brought to the vote of under the present political line-up. -United Press.

POLISH MINISTER WEDS ACTRESS

Warsaw, July 22. M. Josef Cyranklewicz, the 3Bvenr-old Prime Minister of Poland since February, was married yesterknown Warsaw actress.

M. Cyrankiewicz, who 'is also nation."-United Press. leader, and "strong man" of the The first cache contained automatic Polish Socialist Party, served with He was an inmate of the notorious The police believed the arms Austhwitz and Malthausen concen-

He studied / law and journalism before.-Reuter.

Detroit, July 23.

"While MacArthur's control has

The Detroit Free Press said editorially that the writing

of the peace treaty for Japan is going to be a tough task,

The paper asserted "the Japanese | states, which share the Pacific basin.

but that the sooner it is accomplished "the better for all

QUESTION

THE MACAO

BRAZILIAN PRESS COMMENTS

Rio de Janeiro, July 22. Echoing Brazilian public opinion. Brazil's press favours any basis for the claims sus- United States and the United Nations tained by the Chinese Political

sovereignty, "which is an indisputable point-and to which should be

The "Jornal do Comercio" closes its editorial with the assumption that the "Chinese menace" is aimed to provoke rebellion .!'as the Boxer Rebellion which so deeply impressed world opinion".

"TRUE ULTIMATUM"

"O Globo" approaches the "case" as a true "ultimatum" against Porlugal's rights, whose government sobravely defended . China , and the Chinese by doing so much to minimize the heavy brunt of Japanese greed and cruelty upon Chinese subiccis. "O Globo" also deprecates the violence of the Chinese move, "which not only affects Portugal, but the very international equilibrium, whose safeguard should be a prerogative of all nations."

"Finally, the conservative "Correio da Manha" reminds that Macao, where Camoes wrote part of the epic poem "Lusladas," was granted by China to Portugal as a sign of gratitude, and concludes by urging the Chinese People's Council firmly to establish the unity of the Chinese day to Miss Nina Andryce, the well- against Red manocuvres, in order to save "not only Macao, but the whole

US SUSPENDS

New York, July 22. All United States Interests have suspended sales of gold pro tem.

Leading bullion dealers told Reuter that a committee, representing refiners, are tonight going to Washington for the express purpose of obtaining a clear and concise statement of policy by United States Government officials as to the present and future status of United

New York bullion dealers, in the meantime, allege that London are looking for bids and that this and Federal Reserve System, nbove monetary parities.

"The Japanese are not the incormotal by two cents an ounce. 'Conrigible spawns of hell that wartime sumers then bought 150,000 ounces "As Jopan is the sparkplus of Asia, propaganda made them out to be. on the basis of 62 cents, There was,

Government has decided to buy onefor coinage requirements. Reuter. Victorie, in the Colony of Hongloong.

Alleged Massacre Of Koreans By Russians

ANTI-TRUSTEESHIP DEMONSTRATION

Washington, July 22. Col. Ben Limb, chairman of the Koroan Commission, today charged that the Russians shot 400 Koreans, wounded more than 2,000 and jailed 10,000 "in the course of a peace-

able anti-trusteeship demonstration" held in the cities of Pyong Yang, Shineju and Ham Houng in the Sovietoccupied zone of Korea on June 80. Limb based his charge on a report which he said was apparently delayed by censorship in Korea.

The Korean Commission, which was founded here before the war by Rhee, has taken a strongly anti-Communist attitude. Today it explained that the demonstrations in Pyong Yang and other northern cities were arranged by Korean nationalists there "as a desperate effort to make their position against trusteeship over Korea known to outside world." They were timed for the opening of the American-Russian Joint Commission meeting in Pyong Yang which was to discuss with what Korean political group the occupation powers could meet to form a provisional govern-

RESTRICTED CONSULTATIONS

The Russians originally refused to have any contacts with Korean elements which opposed trustceship for Korea. The Russian-American meeting at Pyong Yang was unsuccessful.

The Korean Commission said that the Russians had restricted consulption with Korcans "only to Communists and their, subsidiary organs in their zone of occupation. The Labour Party in the north presented a declaration to the Joint Commission calling for a five-year trusteeship over Koren. The nationalists, who are completely excluded from consultation with the Joint Commission chose the demonstration as a means of making their stand on trustecship known. It is a matter of common knowledge supported by inteligence reports that over 80 percent of the population in North Korca are nationalists."

The Korean Commission said that Rhee, as a leader of the nationalist Portugal in its stand concerning parties in South Korea, is pressing "into the facts of the massacre in

One Commission source said that The Conservative "Jornal do although the report of the massacre hey had found arms.

A number of cases of arms and both here and in Paris that a delay affected by such a case and ap
affected by such a case and apnevertheless he asked the United

> The source drew attention to the credited the lives of thousands of fact that thousands of Koreans pass persons taking refuge in Macao dur- across the border between the ing the last war-and the legal ques- Russian and the United States zones tion of the extraterritorality status". so the authentic report could easily

OFF THE RATION

Zurich, July 22. Fuel of all kinds, including coal, will be taken off ration in Switzerland from October 1, it was officially announced here today. ·Petrol has not been rationed since early in 1046,-Reuter.

OUTWARD MAILS

Unless otherwise stated, Registered Articles and Parcel Posts close 30 minutes earlier than the Ordinary Mail. If mail the Report of the General Mana-

Canton (Train) 2 p.m. Swatow and Bangkok (Sea) Noon. Halphong (Sea) 2 p.m. Shanghai (Sea) 2 p.m. members of the Consulting Com-Ordinary letters and cards only for mittee and to re-appoint Auditors. Amoy (Sea) 3 p.m. = Stralls and Egypt (Sea) 3 p.m.

Bangkok, Rangoon, Calcutta, Karachi, Barra, Cairo, Johannesburg, Augusta, Marseilles and London (Air) 3.30 p.m.
Manila P.I. (Air) 3.30 p.m.
Salgon and Parls only (Air) 3.30 p.m.
Amoy, Shanglini, Nanking, Hankow, Tsingtao, Peiping, Canton, Liuchow and Kunming (Air) 320 p.m.
Thursday, July 24

Canton (Ttain) 7 a.m. Macao, Tsinshan & Shekki (Sea) 8 a.m. Shanghal (Sea) 10 a.m. '-Salgon (Sea) 10 n.m. Manlla P.I. (Sea) 10 n.m.

Tsamkong (Kwongchowwan) (Sea) Swatow (Sea) 1 p.m. Bangkok (Sea) 1 p.m. Canton (Train) 2 p.m. Swatow (Sea) 3 p.m. Bangkek, Singapore, Balavia, Colombo, Sydney and Auckland (Alr) 3.30 p.m. Canton, Amoy, Foodlow and Shanghai

BROADCAST

ZBW Hongkong broadcastism on frequency of 845 kilocycles from 12.30 to At the request of the Chilean States private operations in foreign 2 p.m., and 5.30 to 11 p.m., and also on 6.02 megacycles in the 31 metre band from 12.30 to 1.15, 7.30 to 5.30 and 9.15 Studio! Children's Half-Hour: 630. Film Memories; 7, "Music Time" Orchesdealers today intimated that they tra of R.M. Royal Marines; 7.30, Studio: are looking for bids and that this with Hermie Milanes as Accompanist; Loyds statistics added.

Douglas MacArthur's administration been highly efficient a feeling has infers that the Bank of England, 7.45, B.B.C. Transcription Service: "Bongs of the United States Treasury of the West Country"; 7.55, B.B.C. Transcription Service: "Bongs of the West Country"; 7.55, B.B.C. Transcription Service: "Bongs of the United States Treasury of the West Country"; 7.55, B.B.C. Transcription Service: "Bongs of the United States Treasury of the West Country"; 7.55, B.B.C. Transcription Service: "Why I believe in and Federal Reserve System; has chiefled to be a light of the United States of the West Country"; 7.55, B.B.C. Transcription Service: "Why I believe in the United States of the United States of the West Country"; 7.55, B.B.C. Transcription Service: "Why I believe in the United States of the United States of the West Country"; 7.55, B.B.C. Transcription Service: "Why I believe in the United States of the United States of the West Country"; 7.55, B.B.C. Transcription Service: "Why I believe in the United States of the United States of the United States of the West Country"; 7.55, B.B.C. Transcription Service: "Why I believe in the United States of the United States o Church", A Talk by His Grace the Arch-bishop of Canterbury; 8, London Relay! refrain from sales of gold at prices News from Britain; 8.15, Studio: "I Bring you Music"-Classical Request Programmie Silver consumers again expressed desinterest and down-tendered the motal by two cents an ounce. Con-

> Printed and published by Frederick Tructors alleged that the Mexican Porcy Franklin for and on behalf of South China Morning Post Limited half of Mexico's August production at 1-3 Wyndham Street, City of

He said he would not give the source of the report but said that when Syngman Rhee, chairman of the Representative Democratic council in South Korea, informed the United Nations commander in Korea, Lt. Gen. John Hodge, of the report Roreas were excluded from the rail-was neither denied nor confirmed.



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Notice is hereby given that the fifty-ninth Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Company will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company, 5th. Floor P. & O. Building, Hongkong, on Saturday. the Second of August, 1947 at 11 a.m. for the purpose of confirming the appointment of members of the Consulting Committee, to receive rels will close at 5 p.m. on provious day. gers, together with the Statements wednesday, July 23 of Accounts for the periods 1st.

Tsamkong (Kwongchowwan), Macao, January to 31st. December 1041 and from 1st. January 1942 to 81st. December 1946, to re-elect members of the Consulting Com-

> The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 28th. July to 2nd. August both days inclusive.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong 22nd. July, 1947.

CONSULADO GENERAL DE PANAMA

The Panamanian Minister to China wishes that Panama nationals in this area contact him boween 9.00 a.m. and 1.00 p.m. on Tuesday the 22nd and/or Friday the 25th instant at the Pana-

manian Consulate. Embassy, Chilean citizens will also be attended at the same hour.

The Ho Hong China Ltd. on behalf of their Principals the Ho Hong Steamto thank the officers and all ranks of the Royal Navy, the U.S. Navy, the Harbour Master, the H.K. Police, the Medical Department, Means, Butterfield or Bwire, and all their friends in the Bhipping fraternity for their kind assistance given in connection with the R.S. Hong Kheng, and for the good work which resulted in the rescue of all live souls on board and for the good work connected with the disembarkation of passengers on